



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Group Art Unit: 1651

M. Clark DALE et al

Examiner: Herbert J. Lilling

Application No.: 10/056,063

Attorney Dkt. No.: P66143US1

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For: A HIGH SPEED, CONSECUTIVE BATCH OR CONTINUOUS, LOW EFFLUENT
PROCESS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF ETHANOL FROM MOLASSES,
STARCHES OR SUGARS

PRESENTATION OF DECLARATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandra, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Advisory Action of December 4, 2003, favorable action is respectfully
requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims on page 2 prior to the Remarks.